



# DEBRA BOWEN

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### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

#### **Secretary of State's Office to Conduct Randomized Alphabet Drawing for Senate District 23 Special Election**

**WHAT:** Secretary of State Debra Bowen's office will hold a randomized alphabet drawing to determine the order in which candidates' names will appear on the March 25 special primary election ballots and, if necessary, the June 3 special runoff election ballots in the 23<sup>rd</sup> Senate District.

The Senate District 23 special election is being held to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Bill Emmerson.

The candidate filing deadline for this contest is January 31.

**WHEN:** Monday, February 3, 2014  
11:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Secretary of State's Office  
Elections Division, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
1500 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
Sacramento

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